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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Chevron Products Company,

Complainant,

vs.

Equilon Enterprises LLC, dba Shell Oil Products
US, and Shell Trading (US) Company,

Defendants.

Case 05-12-004
(Filed December 5, 2005)

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING
GRANTING COMPLAINANT'S MOTION
TO FILE UNDER SEAL**

Pursuant to Rule 45 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure, Chevron Products Company (Chevron) moves to file under seal and maintain the confidentiality of its comments on the Draft Decision. Chevron states that its comments are based on and quote extensively from a number of exhibits that are subject to confidentiality agreements with the defendants, and Chevron is obligated by those agreements to file its reply under seal.

There has been no opposition to this request.

The motion states grounds for a protective order under Pub. Util. Code § 583 and General Order 66-C and authority there cited. A public hearing on the motion is unnecessary.

Good cause appearing, **IT IS RULED** that:

1. The Motion for Authority to File Confidential Information Under Seal filed by Chevron Products Company (Chevron) on July 3, 2006, is granted to the extent set forth below.

2. Chevron's Comments on the Draft Decision of Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Walker shall remain under seal for a period of two years from the date of this ruling, and during that period shall not be made accessible or disclosed to anyone other than Commission staff except (1) on the further order or ruling of the Commission, the Assigned Commissioner, the assigned ALJ, or the ALJ then designated as Law and Motion Judge (which order shall only be entered after notice to Chevron and an opportunity to be heard), or (2) upon execution of an appropriate nondisclosure agreement by all affected parties.

3. If Chevron believes that further protection of this information is needed after two years, Chevron may file a motion stating the justification for further withholding the information from public inspection, or for such other relief as the Commission rules may then provide. This motion shall be filed no later than 30 days before the expiration of this protective order.

Dated July 6, 2006, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ GLEN WALKER
Glen Walker
Administrative Law Judge

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Dated July 6, 2006, at San Francisco, California.

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